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Columbia, SC...During December 2010, the SC Department of Employment and Workforce (DEW) proposed various regulatory changes, and one of those changes was a proposal to change the due dates for wage and contribution reports for employers (Reg. 47-15 and 47-16). Because this would be considered a regulatory change, the DEW had to allow the public to comment during a 30-day window and hold a public hearing. After receiving comments via mail and holding the public hearing, the DEW has decided **not** to pursue the regulation change to 47-15 and 47-16 regarding the due dates for wage and contribution reports. These reports will continue to be due by the last day of the month following the end of a calendar quarter.

DEW, however, encourages all employers to file these reports as early as possible and to also utilize the South Carolina Business One Stop (<a href="www.scbos.sc.gov">www.scbos.sc.gov</a>) electronic filing portal for easy and secure electronic filing.